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# RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED JULY 7, 2004

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated July 7, 2004, having a shortened statutory period expiring August 7, 2004. This paper is being submitted the Monday following a Saturday due date, therefore no extension fees are due. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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